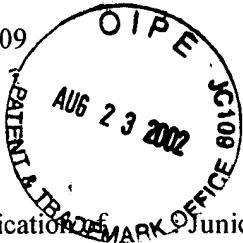


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Serial No. : 09/314,960 Group Art Unit : 2722

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-captioned application.

- Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously filed.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.
- No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| Claims<br>After<br>Amendment        | No. Claims<br>Previously<br>Paid For | Present<br>Extra | Small Entity |     | Other Than A<br>Small Entity |           |
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to an examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the claims as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 1-19 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter.

The following claims are submitted for consideration by the Examiner:

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A/ -20. A communication apparatus connected to a terminal apparatus via a network,  
the communication apparatus comprising:

a memory that stores an address book including a plurality of destination addresses,  
the destination addresses being stored as a structured document;

a transmitter that transmits image data to a designated destination address which is  
stored in the address book, the image data being transmitted via at least one of the network  
or a telephone network;